

## LATEST HAPPENINGS IN BARRE

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## HAVE ANNUAL MEETING

## Granite Manufacturers Discuss Many Important Subjects.

A well attended meeting of the Granite Manufacturers' association took place last evening with some 125 members in attendance and some important matters affecting the future development of the association were discussed. Samples of trade marks for Barre granite were shown and one was selected which will be registered and put into use. The need of more strongly advertising Barre and its granite industries was emphasized and great stress was laid on the exhibition features.

The meeting opened at 8 o'clock and was called to order by the president, James Adie, and after the roll call by Secretary Charles H. Wishart, the reports of the officers and committees were read. The finances were reported to be in excellent condition in spite of the recent strain caused by the strike and lockout.

The letter from the Quarry owners' association announcing an increase in the price of Barre granite of 5 per cent was discussed and a possible solution was suggested by the secretary backed up by many members.

He was in favor of arriving at a uniform method of deciding the value of a stone and of charging a standard rate to fluctuate only with the law of supply and demand. This idea was well thought of and will be carried out with the development of the association.

The matter of having some official seal for Barre granite to serve both as a means of protecting dealers from retailers who put off imitations on the public and for advertising purposes was taken up.

The seal most agreeable to the members was a square with a round

seal in the center, while the word "Trade Mark" and "Barre Granite" appear within the circle.

Nothing was done regarding the rumored increase in the manufacturers' selling price for finished work although the matter was broached. It seemed to be the idea of the members that the increase should not come until the economy proposed in the matter of measurements had been tried.

At the close of the business meeting a banquet was served in the dining hall and post prandial exercises of an informal nature were held. The meeting broke up at a late hour.

## McLEOD IS VICTOR.

## Defeats Christensen in Wrestling Bout in Miles Hall.

Ed McLeod succeeded in gaining the decision in both falls over Martin Christensen in the wrestling match in Miles hall last night. Young Hack won the preliminaries in short order.

The men were called for the preliminary at 8 o'clock by Referee William Shannon. Young Hack and Young Cruickshank responded and did some fast foot work while the former was by far the superior in weight and knowledge of the game and succeeded in getting an arm and scissors hold on Cruickshank and won the first fall in 3 minutes.

Ed McLeod showed some improvement in his wrestling so much as to find Martin Christensen off his guard and after 23 minutes pinned his shoulders to the floor with a full body hold. The second fall of the preliminaries went to Young Hack in 17 minutes with a full Nelson.

The last bout of the evening between the principals was well fought and created much excitement as Christensen showed some spirit and grit as well as ability to get out of tight corners. He went down, however, to his opponent in 11 minutes with a body scissors hold.

## HIT BY STONE

## Blast From River Bed Sent 12 Pounds Through Window.

A large stone weighing over 10 pounds was thrown by a blast in the river bed yesterday morning to a house on Prospect street several hundred feet away, hitting Tony Romanis on his right foot and narrowly escaping striking a girl who was in the room at the time. The blast was set off about 10 o'clock at the inlet side of the ledge and either because of its being extra heavy or improperly covered small stones were thrown in all directions. One of the larger ones crashed through the window of the room in which Romanis was sitting, while the house was showered with the smaller stones. Dr. J. W. Jackson was sent for. He found that in addition to minor bruises a small bone had been broken in the young man's foot. He will be laid up some time.

## Quarry Owners Meet

A meeting of the Quarry Owners' association was held last evening in the Miles building with about 15 members in attendance. The regular business of the month was passed upon and the report of the committee on the increase of the rate on stone was accepted. The annual meeting will be held in February.

## BARRE BRIEFS.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Jackson went to Burlington yesterday for a visit to friends.

William Marr returned to his home in this city yesterday after a few days passed in New York.

John Freeland and John Allen have left for New York, whence they will sail soon for Scotland to pass the winter.

H. S. Talbot of Albany, N. Y., is a business visitor in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Taylor returned yesterday from a short visit to friends in New Britain, Conn.

The monthly meeting of the directors of the City hospital took place in Moore & Owens' store last evening.

E. W. Blaboe went to Boston yesterday on business.

A meeting of the Winnetta Council, No. 10, will be conducted this evening. A meeting of Barre lodge, No. 137, took place last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Barclay have returned from a wedding trip to the Rocky Mountains.

Mrs. Sumner Morley of Rutland, who has been a guest at the home of her parents, Judge and Mrs. W. J. Clapp, left for her home yesterday.

Mrs. F. W. Bancroft went to Waterbury yesterday.

A meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the A. O. H., took place last evening at which refreshments were served after the business meeting.

A meeting of the American Order of Conductors will be conducted this evening in Foresters' hall.

A meeting of the Lumpers, Boxers and Derrickmen's Union was held in Carpenters' hall last evening, with a large number present.

A meeting of the W. T. C. U. will be conducted in the parlors of the Congregational church this afternoon for the last session of the year.

Mrs. Agnes Walker and son have returned from a week's visit to relatives in Berlin.

There will be a meeting of the mission study class of the Church of the Good Shepherd at the home of Mrs. S. N. Parker this evening.

Mrs. Isaac Baker is visiting relatives in Burlington for a few days.

## MIDDLEBURY COLLEGE NOTES.

The catalogue of Middlebury College for 1910-1911 shows the greatly increased prosperity that has attended that institution in recent years. The faculty numbers 25, and the students 285, of whom 157 are from Vermont. Including the summer session the registration for the year was 333. Thirteen States are represented in the enrollment.

The new scientific and pedagogical courses are proving attractive, as is shown by the large proportion of the freshman class enrolling in them. The scientific course allows the combination of a broad liberal training and thorough preparation for engineering. This plan has many advantages over the engineering courses which consist of only four years of technical study in addition to the High School.

A new feature in the present catalogue are the "Suggested elective groups." Groups of studies have been arranged for students who have a definite occupation in mind on coming to college. These groups are agriculture, business, education, engineering, journalism, law, medicine, mineral industry and theology. In connection with each of these groups a member of the faculty is appointed by the president to act as adviser to students wishing to specialize in that group. Every student at the beginning of his college course is required to consult the president, who will refer him to the adviser best suited to his needs.

A gymnasium fund of \$50,000 has been completed and the building will be erected next summer. Pearsons Hall, the home for women is made possible by the gift of Dr. D. K. Pearsons and is promised for the summer session of July 1911.

## For Industrial Development.

Milwaukee, Wis., Dec. 14.—The organization of the Wisconsin Manufacturers' Association was practically completed at a meeting of the executive committee in Milwaukee today. The new organization will endeavor to promote not only the manufacturing interests, but all other industries in the State and expects to become an influential factor in promoting the welfare of the laboring classes.

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## CHRISTMAS OBSERVANCE

## HOLIDAY PROGRAMS GIVEN IN MONTPELIER PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

Interesting Exercises To Be Conducted in the High School, Grades and Primary Building—Friday Which Will Be the Closing Day of the Fall Term.

Christmas comes early in the public school and in recognition of the fact that the two weeks' vacation for the holidays begins Friday exercises appropriate to the 25th of December will be conducted the last day of the term in High School, grades and primary building, with Christmas trees decorations and simple gifts in many rooms in charge of the teachers.

The primary building program is a combined one of the several grades of that building and is as follows: America, by entire school; recitation, Irving Burroughs of Mrs. Richardson's room; exercise by ten children of Miss Foster's room; recitation by Foster Berry of Miss Ryle's room; song "Softly Chime," 1st and 2nd grades; exercises by Mrs. Parrott's grade; recitation by Mario Lamperte of Miss Lucia's grade; exercises by twenty children of Miss Gleason's grade; song "Three Kings of Christ" by entire school; recitation, Donald Henderson, Miss Wheelock's grade; exercise by five boys of Miss Foster's grade; recitation, Katherine Buzzell of Miss Gleason's grade; song, "Yes, 'Tis Christmas," entire school; recitation, Mario Bianchi of Mrs. Richardson's grade; recitation, Althea Wilkins of Miss Ryle's grade; song, Robin Redbreast, entire school; recitation by four girls of Miss Wheelock's grade; recitation, Frances Blomfield of Miss Lucia's grade; flag salute and song by entire school.

The programs of the Union School building are as follows: High School program at 1:30 Friday afternoon in the auditorium. Chorus, Nazareth, by school; essay "Christmas in Other Countries," Beulah Dodge; solo, Miss Katherine Gutcheil; "First Church Christmas Bazaar," Beatrice Walker, Clarence Pike, Frances Barber, Marion Buzzell, Marjorie Burnham, Ruth Corry, Ruth Lowe, Marjorie Ordway, Clarissa Howe; vocal solo, Francis Kelleher; recitation, Guy Hale; chorus, "Hark I Hear," by school. Mrs. K. E. Terrill directs the program.

Grade 8, Miss Lewis's room gives this program: "The Firelight," Myrtle Burroughs; recitation, Edward Bero and Raymond Allen; "Tale of Christmas Eve," Dorothy Wilkins; recitation, James Butler, Jack Mitchell; "Bureau of Xmas Information," Lenora Chamberlain; recitation, Allen Hancock; debate, Resolved, children should not be taught there is a Santa Claus, affirmative, Sibyl Emery, Everett McNeil; negative, Evelyn Dodge, Harold Walton; recitation, Allen Gale, Herman Holmes; class paper, Doris Farrar.

Grade Seven. Misses Parker and Williams present this program: Play, Lady Yearley's Guest; characters, Lady Yearley, Doris Kanaly; Virginia, Hazel Joslyn; George, Stacey Clark; Horace, William Farwell; Elizabeth Barber, James Laird, and Leo Brettest. Up the Mountain Valley, John Barnes; A Christmas Skating Ball, Gertrude Edie; Tragedy of Christmas Candles, Flora Maroni; Thoughts at Close of Day, Harold Hutchinson; Nobody's Dog, Ray Bigelow; Christmas at North Pole, Grace Ellis; Ben Burlap's Barn, Phillips Goodenough; Rejuvenation of Roundtown Town, Hazel Hills; Barbary Blake's Christmas, Hazel Ryle; An Address to Santa, Gladys Lane; A Christmas Riddle, Lenora Maroni; The New Schoolhouse, Chauncey Minott; Aunt Tabitha, Lillian Parsons; A Cherry Tree Lesson, Floyd Clark; A Suggestion to Santa, Bessie Lane; Santa on the Train, Addie Brendenell; Santa, Jr., Aviator, Frederica Carleton; Santa, Verna Stebbins.

Grade Six. Miss Howe's grade will present this program: Hymn, Silent Night, and song, Shine Out, school; recitation, First Christmas Night, Josephine Thornton; "A Russian Santa Claus," Marjorie Henderson; "A Plan That Failed," Santa Claus, Walter Willard; a small boy, Donald Staples; old carol—Good King Wenceslas—and Three Kings of Orient—school; recitation, At the North Pole, Arthur Lampert; Christmas Eve, Miriam Boomhower; Play, Christmas eve at Mother Hubbard's, Miss Muffet, Lena Piccoli; Jack Horner, Brandon Jones; Boy Blue, William Milo; Bo Peep, Blanche Lindsay; Jack, Raymond Tuttle; Jill, Janet Docherty; Mistress Mary, Pansy Trow; Simon, John Medler; Mother Hubbard, Sarah Dalley; Santa Claus, Paul Clogston, followed by opening of the cupboard and distribution of gifts.

Grade Five. Miss Nellie O'Brien's grade presents this program: Music by school; First Christmas Night, Beatrice Knapp; Christmas Greeting, Stanley Morse; Christmas, Molly McLean; Mrs. Santa Claus, Cora Chamberlain; the Little Elf, Warren Smith; on Christmas Day, Gladys Knapp; Christmas Puzzles, Roberta Hoare; Tommy's Christmas Trouble, Frances

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TWO HOURS.

Rev. Dr. Bishop Loudly Cheered When He Announces His Purpose to Secure an Endowment Fund of \$250,000—Three New Dormitories and Gymnasium.

A novel and pleasant feature of school life was introduced at the Seminary yesterday morning when there was a rally that lasted two hours, and there were no gaps and no monotony. As a visitor was heard to say at the close, the program was as varied as the assortment in the chapel singing book. Now the head of the science department would tell of the work done and attempted in his department, the prospect for athletic might be the next theme, or the students might break loose in song from the new chapel books with "Where is My Wandering Boy Tonight?" or anon, "The Bulldog on the Bank." Yet there was nothing incongruous about the program, although it was informal.

The hand gave three selections that were heartily endorsed and L. J. Hathaway played in his usual masterly style. Speeches were made by Rev. Mr. Hendee, Rev. Mr. Lowe of St. Albans, and Rev. Mr. Thayer of Barre.

Rev. Dr. E. A. Bishop spoke in conclusion and laid before his audience the aim toward which he is working, a \$250,000 endowment, three new dormitories and a new gymnasium. He was as usual cheered to the echo, and the students accorded him the raps. E. A. Cooper presided and to him was due the success of the rally.

Special attention was called to the music department. In introducing the band, Acting Principal Cooper congratulated the leader, Almon Bushnell on the harmony and general efficiency of the organization of which he has had charge. The vocal department was represented by Miss Virginia Peter, who comes fresh from study in Italy; and the instrumental by Lewis J. Hathaway of Montpelier, who has studied in Germany.

The violin department is presided over by Mrs. F. S. Bruce, a graduate of a Vienna conservatory, and the New England conservatory, but she was not present, but will resume teaching after the holidays. Visitors expressed appreciation of the good school spirit manifested, and congratulated the school on the apparent character of work done.

The program follows: March, M. S. Military Band; Hymn, "How Firm a Foundation"; Scripture Reading, Dr. E. A. Bishop; Prayer, Rev. W. S. Smithers; Hymn, "Onward Christian Soldiers"; Announcements, Prof. F. A. Cooper; Selection, M. S. Military Band; Elocution Department, Miss Hamilton; The Science of Things, Prof. A. A. Gustafson; Y. M. C. A., Eldon Austin; Song by School, "The Watch on the Rhine"; Modern Classics, Miss Glover; Adelphi Society, Fred Marshall; Piano Solo, Prof. L. J. Hathaway; Band Solo, Francis Maroni; Song by School, "Austrian National Hymn"; Ancient Classics, Prof. B. W. Griffin; Solo, Miss Peter; Y. W. C. A., Evelyn Beaman; L. L. Society, Irene Dwinell; Short-hand Department, Miss Bates; Aesthetic Society, Merle Plateridge; Art Department, Miss Knight; Business Department, Prof. E. A. Cooper; The School Home, Steward Simpson; Re-

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MT. BROMLEY.

Will Also Give State Control of 800 Acres Additional and Will Cut Timber on It Under Direction of State Forester—Will Be Called Hapgood Park.

It was announced yesterday that M. J. Hapgood of Peru had given to the State 166 acres of land on the top of Mount Bromley in the town of Peru and had agreed to give the State control over 800 acres in addition in the same vicinity. Under these provisions Mr. Hapgood will pay taxes on the 800 acres and will have the right to cut timber under the direction of the State Forester. This forest tract will be known as Hapgood Park.

It is known that Governor Mead is trying to secure the gift to the State of one or two other tracts of forest land on the top of important mountain peaks.

This gift of Mr. Hapgood, coming as it does, so soon after the announcement of Mr. Battell of Middlebury of his willingness to give the summit of Camel's Hump to the State will be received with general approval and is likely to be followed by other valuable gifts to the State.

## WATERBURY CENTER.

F. C. Colson was in Stowe last Thursday night.

Harley Stockwell has moved to Berlin.

Dr. E. J. Foster was in Boston a portion of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Emory Lucia of Morrisville were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Stevens last Sunday.

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